

**Amendments to the Claims:**

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

Claim 1. (currently amended) A computer monitoring system comprising a monitor computer for monitoring a computer and a plurality of monitor-subject computers ~~computer~~ to be monitored by said monitor computer, wherein:

said monitor-subject computer records logs of a use state of application software products, receives a log acquiring instruction from the monitor computer, reads out the recorded logs when the monitor-subject computer detects the log acquiring instruction, outputs and transmits them collectively to the monitor computer, and delete the recorded logs from the monitor-subject computer; and

said monitor computer outputs the log acquiring instruction to a specific monitor-subject computer when a log acquiring directive is input from a user of the monitor computer or automatically at a constant time, acquires said logs from said monitor-subject computer to which the log acquiring instruction is output in response to the log acquiring instruction, displays on a log displaying screen a log contents including input characters at the monitor-subject computer, further, when a directive for calculation and displaying of a use efficiency is input, calculates a using time which is a subtraction of idle state time that is a time period from a time point when a certain time has passed from an action of the application software products up to a next action, from a time when the application software products are activated up to the completion of the application software products, calculates the using time for each application software product, calculates a total idle state time in all the application software products, calculates a use rate for each of said application software products which is a rate of the using time of each application software product in total using time and the total idle state time of all application software products, a use rate of said idle state which is a rate of the total idle state time in total using time and the total idle state time of all application software products, and displays the ~~outputs~~ a use efficiency including the using time and the use

rate for each of the application software products, and the total idle state time and the rate of the idle state.

Claim 2. (original) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 1, wherein a monitor computer can monitor a plurality of monitor-subject computers to thereby acquire a log at said monitor-subject computers in duty spot for each of said duty spots, thus outputting a use efficiency of said application software product for each said duty spot.

Claim 3. (currently amended) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 1, wherein the a-monitor computer analyzes ~~acquires a log of characters input at a monitor-subject computer to thereby analyze whether the said-monitor-subject computer~~ has performed illegal document creation from the log contents including input characters.

Claim 4. (cancelled)

Claim 5. (previously presented) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 1, wherein a monitor computer acquires a log of contents recorded by text of mail transmission/reception at a monitor-subject computer to thereby analyze whether said monitor-subject computer has performed illegal mail transmission/reception.

Claim 6. (previously presented) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 2, wherein a monitor computer acquires a log of contents recorded by text of mail transmission/reception at a monitor-subject computer to thereby analyze whether said monitor-subject computer has performed illegal mail transmission/reception.

Claim 7. (original) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 1, wherein a monitor computer acquires a log of browsing over the Internet at a monitor-subject computer to thereby analyze whether said monitor-subject computer has performed illegal browsing.

Claim 8. (original) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 2, wherein a

monitor computer acquires a log of browsing over the Internet at a monitor-subject computer to thereby analyze whether said monitor-subject computer has performed illegal browsing.

Claim 9. (original) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 1, wherein a monitor computer acquires a log of software installation/un-installation at a monitor-subject computer to thereby analyze whether said monitor-subject computer has performed illegal software installation/un-installation.

Claim 10. (original) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 2, wherein a monitor computer acquires a log of software installation/un-installation at a monitor-subject computer to thereby analyze whether said monitor-subject computer has performed illegal software installation/un-installation.

Claim 11. (currently amended) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 1, wherein a monitor computer acquires a log of characters input at a monitor-subject computer and also calculates the number of said input characters to thereby calculate an input efficiency with respect to an application software product ~~products~~ using time at said monitor-subject computer.

Claim 12. (previously presented) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 2, wherein a monitor computer acquires a log of characters input at a monitor-subject computer and also calculates the number of said input characters to thereby calculate an input efficiency with respect to an application software product using time at said monitor-subject computer.

Claim 13 (cancelled)

Claim 14. (currently amended) A computer monitoring system comprising a monitor computer for monitoring a computer and a plurality of monitor-subject computers to be monitored by said monitor computer, wherein:

said monitor-subject computers records logs of a use state of application software, receives a log acquiring instruction from the monitor computer, reads out the recorded logs when the monitor-subject computer detects the log acquiring instruction, outputs and transmits them collectively to the monitor computer, and delete the recorded logs from the monitor-subject computer; and

said monitor computer outputs the log acquiring instruction to a specific monitor-subject computer when a log acquiring directive is input from a user of the monitor computer or automatically at a constant time, acquires said logs from said monitor-subject computers to which the log acquiring instruction is output in response to the log acquiring instruction, displays on a log displaying screen a log contents including input characters at the monitor-subject computer, further, by a displaying instruction for displaying a list of a working rate, calculates a using time which is a subtraction of idle state time that is a time period from a time point when a certain time has passed from an action of the application software up to a next action, from a time when that the application software product is activated up to the completion of the application software, sums the using time for each monitor-subject computers, sums idle state time in all monitor-subject computers, calculates the a-working rate based on a ratio between the summed idle state time and the summed using time for each monitor-subject computer, and displays a list of the names of said monitor-subject computers in an order of said working rate.

Claim 15 (cancelled)

Claim 16. (previously presented) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 14, wherein:

said monitor computer acquires said log for a use state of application software from said monitor-subject computers, so that if said log relates to application software products registered beforehand, said monitor computer sums up the numbers of using times or the using times for each of said application software products to thereby calculate a use rate based on a sum of said numbers or times, thus displaying a list of the names of said monitor-subject computers in an order of the use rate.

Claim 17. (previously presented) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 14, wherein:

said monitor-subject computers hold a log of an application software use state or a home page access; and

said monitor computer classifies beforehand application software products to be used or home pages to be accessed into specific items of use state, so that when having acquired said log from said monitor-subject computers, said monitor computer classifies the log by the specific items, calculates a using time and a viewing time for each of said classifications, thus displaying a list of the names of said monitor-subject computers based on a ratio between a total time of specific items and a total time of all classification.

Claim 18 (cancelled)

Claim 19. (previously presented) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 14, wherein:

said monitor computer classifies and registers application software products in categories beforehand, so that when having acquired said log of use state from said monitor-subject computer, said monitor computer classifies the log by the categories, sums up using times both for each of said categories and for all of said categories to thereby calculate a use rate of a specific category of all of said categories, thus displaying said use rate.

Claim 20. (currently amended) The computer monitoring system according to Claim 17, wherein:

said monitor-subject computer acquires a log of a viewing state of sites; and

said monitor computer classifies and registers sites in categories beforehand, so that when having acquired said log from said monitor-subject computer, said monitor computer classifies the log by the categories, sums up viewing times both for each of said categories and for all of said categories to thereby calculate a viewing use-rate of a specific category of all of said categories, thus displaying said viewing use-rate.